

FOR CHEAPER RATES.

A Steamboat Rate War Booked for the Near Future.

There is going to be war before long among the steamboat companies plying between here and Portland, and it will probably end by affording a much cheaper rate to and from the metropolis. It will be nothing new to the people of Astoria, for time and time again have the transportation companies got their backs up and said mean things of one another, which invariably resulted in a downfall of rates, going so low at times that it was actually cheaper to ride than walk. But the low rate did not agree with any of them for a great length of time, the result being that after a few days of cutting and slashing, matters would be patched up between them and then the dear public made good the losses of war.

Three years ago the old steamer Astorian, a comfortable little vessel, by the way, went on the route with a 50 cent fare, as an inducement for the public to patronize her. She got a liberal share of the patronage, too, and made such an inroad on the business of the other companies, that it is said, "she was paid to go around the point and tie up." Just how true the last assertion is, those outside of the combination are not able to substantiate, but the fact does remain, however, that the steamer Astorian was tied up over in Young's bay, and is still there. Several days ago the Astorian, published a statement that the steamer was being newly painted and repaired, and would soon go on the river between this city and Portland. The information came from her owner, who said that no time would be lost in getting her on the old run. While Mr. Parker, the owner, did not say so, it is naturally inferred that, becoming tired of feeding a dead horse, the combine had withdrawn their monthly allowance, preferring to take chances in holding their own against her, should she go back on the river.

Another new factor comes into the field tomorrow. The Sarah Dixon, for the past several years on the upper river runs, will leave Portland tonight for Astoria, and besides announcing that she has come to stay, offers a two-dollar rate for the round trip. She is a comfortable and fast steamer, and it is said her manager is a stickler when it comes to a steamboat war.

Just how this new arrangement will affect the combine remains to be seen, but one thing is evident, that the regatta committee will not have to depend on the old boats for an excursion rate during the three days' affair, as long as these two boats are on the river, together with a dozen others that have signified their willingness to run.

THE GAME TONIGHT.

Astoria and Fort Canby Will Contest for Football Honors.

Preparations have been made by the Bay Railway Company and the Astoria Football Club to handle a very large crowd of spectators at the big match that comes off on the Smith's Point grounds tonight. The game will begin at 6:30 and the players of both teams will go to the field on the motor that leaves at 6 o'clock. Motors will follow at 6:30 and 7 p. m.

The Fort Canby boys will be entertained at dinner before the match by the members of the Astoria Football Club, and they will also be given a social before leaving for the fort in the evening. A great deal of interest is being evinced in the game both here and at outside points. Several members of the Portland Club will come down to watch the game, and get pointers, and large numbers of Astorians will no doubt be on hand to see what promises to be a very stiff fight. The odds are in favor of the soldiers, but the home team has more than once turned almost certain defeat into victory, and may do it again. Whichever way it goes the match will be a treat. Astoria people should not lose the opportunity of seeing the Fort Canby team on its mettle.

The following are the players: Fort Canby (Blue)—Goal, Reed; Full Back, Henry, Methol; Half Back, Tobin, Howard, Fellows; forwards, Dimmick, Donohue, Mills, Stone, Wilson. Astoria (Blue and White)—Goal, Bennett; Full Back, Bartholomew, McLean; Half Backs, Rathorn, Tallent, Grant; Forwards, Higgins, Gibson, Meacham, Hansen, McKinley.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree of sale, made in the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Clatsop, on the 27th day of February, 1894, of W. H. Kirkpatrick and against M. M. Ketchum and Ida H. Ketchum, and execution thereon issued August 1st, 1894, I will on the 3rd day of September, 1894, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., and at the court house door in said Clatsop county sell to the highest bidder for cash the lands described herein, or a sufficient amount thereof to make the sum of \$2,225.25, and interest thereon since February 6th, 1894, at the rate of 9 per cent per annum, and accruing costs, to-wit: Lot 1, in block 45, in the town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure, in Clatsop County, Oregon.

Dated, this 2nd day of August, 1894.
J. W. HARE, Sheriff.
By R. G. PRAEL, Deputy.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree of sale made in the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Clatsop, on the 18th day of June, 1894, in favor of the Astoria Building and Loan Association, and against Eleanor Symons and William Symons, and execution thereon issued August 1st, 1894, I will on the 3d day of September, 1894, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., and at the court house door in said Clatsop county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the land described herein, or a sufficient amount thereof to make the sum of \$2,225.25, and interest thereon since February 6th, 1894, at the rate of 9 per cent per annum, and accruing costs, to-wit: Lot 1, in block 45, in the town of Astoria, as laid out and recorded by John McClure, in Clatsop County, Oregon.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons holding Clatsop county warrants No. 174, 124, 123, 110, 4745, 145, 143, 140, 129, 141, 136, 142, indorsed on April 18, 1894, to present the same to the county treasurer for payment, as interest will accrue thereon after the date of this notice of publication.

Dated this 17th day of July, A. D. 1894.
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Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been duly appointed assignee of I. W. Case, and that he has qualified as such assignee by filing with the clerk of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Clatsop county, his bond as required by law. All persons having claims against the said I. W. Case are notified to present the same to the undersigned, duly verified, at the office of the Astoria National Bank, in the city of Astoria, in said county, within three months from this date.

Dated at Astoria, Oregon, this 2nd day of August, 1894.
D. K. WARREN,
Assignee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of George McLean, deceased, late of Clatsop county, Oregon, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Clatsop County, and all persons having claims against said estate must present the same properly verified to the undersigned within six months from this date, July 5th, 1894.

ELIZABETH MCLEAN,
Administratrix.

COUNTY ASSESSOR'S NOTICE.

The board of equalization will meet at the office of the county clerk and publicly examine the assessment rolls of Clatsop county for the purpose of correcting all errors of valuation or description of lands or other property. It is the duty of all persons to appear at that time if they wish corrections made, as no corrections or alterations can be made by any officer after the adjournment of the board. The board will meet on Monday, August 27th, at 10 o'clock a. m., and close on Saturday, September 1st, at 5 p. m. Astoria, July 25th, 1894.
B. S. WORSLEY,
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